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Miller & Rhoads**NOTIONS**

Our Regular Summer Sale at Reduced Prices.

WINDOW DISPLAY ON BROAD STREET.

We made a reputation years ago for being the best notion house in Richmond.

We've more than sustained this reputation in all our years of phenomenal growth as a store.

Notions in this sale at surprisingly little prices.

5-4 heavy Tubular Shoe Laces in Black only. Regular price, 10c dozen. Special price, 5c dozen.

Ladies Tan Shoe Laces, all Siles, Flat, 20 inches long. Regular price 10c pair, special price 5c.

Warren's Silk Covered Feather Bone, for girls, in White only. Regular price, 15c a yard; special price, 9c a yard.

Sateen Covered Corset Clips, 4 and 5 hooks, in White only. Regular price, 5c pair; special price, 3c pair.

Monarch Linen-Finish Thread, 100 yards to a spool, all numbers. Regular price, 5c spool; special price, 2c spool for 5c.

Mercerized Silk for Crocheting, all shades, including White. Regular price, 5c spool; special price, 2c spool.

Full Nickled Hooks and Eyes; 2 dozen on a card. Regular price, 5c card; special price, 1c a card.

All widths in 10-yard English Super Tape. Regular price, 10c piece; special price, 5c piece.

Gibson Collar Foundations, White all sizes. Value, 7c each; special price, 2c each.

Royal Glue, large size bottles. Value 10c; special price, 7c.

Brown's Ladies Shoe Polish. Regular price, 10c; special price, 6c.

Whitmore's Gilt Edge Shoe Polish. Worth 10c; special price, 12-12c.

Bunches of Average Tape, 21 yards in bunch. Regular price, 5c; special price, 3c bunch.

Hair Pin Cabinets, containing 160 assorted Pins. Worth 10c each; special price, 3c each.

May Mantion Patterns 10c each, on sale in Trimming department, by mail 12c.

Neuss Bros. assorted Toilet Pin Cubes, all colors, 144 pins. Regular price, 10c each; special price, 5c each.

Whitmore's Quick White Shoe Polish. Regular price, 10c bottle; special price, 7c bottle.

Kielner's 4-4 double-faced Rubber Sheet. Regular price, 50c yard; special price, 30c yard.

Kielner's Light Weight Dress Shields. Regular price, 12c pair; special 8c pair.

45-yard spools Past Black Darning Cotton. Regular price, 5c for 3 spools; special price, 1c spool.

100-yard spools "Klostersilk," equal to Silk, all summer shades. Regular price, 5c spool; special, 2 spools for 5c.

Genuine De Long Hooks and Eyes; Black, Silver and Brass. Regular price, 10c card; special price, 7c card.

Tocoda Hooks and Eyes, with Invisible Eyes, small size. Regular price, 5c card; special price, 2-12c card.

White Hat Pins, 9 inches long, 6 on card. Regular price, 7c card; special price, 3c card.

Simplicity Skirt or Placket Closer, Silk faced. Worth 15c each; special price, 3c each.

Men's 6-4 "Never Break" Tan Shoe Laces. Regular price, 5c pair; special, 2c pair.

Silk Dress Belting, all shades. Regular price, 9c, 12c and 15c yard; special, 3c yard.

Rubber Diaper Covers, absolutely waterproof. Regular price, 15c; special, 10c each.

A QUEER TANGLE AT PORTSMOUTH

Likely to Be Two Claimants for the Nomination for State Senator.

CITY AGAINST THE COUNTY

Portsmouth Has Named Mr. Niemyer, While Mr. Montague Has Avowed Candidacy.

The Norfolk county-Portsmouth snarl growing out of a non-currence of action in the nomination of a member of the State Senate to succeed Hon. E. F. Cromwell, promises yet to find its way before the State Democratic Committee. In the rule of alternation heretofore in force for years, the city has been entitled to name the senator every other term, and it is now Portsmouth's turn. The senatorial district, however, embraces Norfolk county, and its Democrats are entitled to a voice in selecting the Portsmouth man, who shall represent them. Without agreeing as to a date with the county, the Portsmouth City Committee independently fixed a date when entries for the senatorial nomination would close. At that date Mr. C. Niemyer was the only applicant complying with the conditions prescribed by the committee for candidacy. He has now been declared the nominee of the Democrats of that city for senator.

Mr. S. T. Montague, a cousin of Governor Montague, was a tentative candidate for the nomination, but did not regard the independent action of the City Committee as legal. Both he and the secretary of the committee were deposed by the majority, and successors elected. Now Mr. Montague announces that he will be a candidate for a senatorial nomination notwithstanding the action of the City Committee in proclaiming Mr. Niemyer the nominee.

Judgeship Fight Also Issue. Mr. Niemyer is believed to be favorable to Senator Thomas S. Martin, while Mr. Montague is naturally for his cousin. The judgeship fight is also an issue in the senatorial contest. The regular faction of Norfolk county, commonly known as the Straightwhites, is believed to be opposed to Mr. Niemyer and favorable to Mr. Montague. Under the resolution of the State Democratic Committee, however, the fusionists of Norfolk county will have say in the election of a senator, and they claim to have a majority in the county.

If the vote of the fusionists in the county and of the majority in Portsmouth city be favorable to Mr. Niemyer, he would seem a sure winner, if he can get his name on the ballot. The fusionists in the county are believed to be in a minority. A condition will be presented if Mr. Niemyer be proclaimed the nominee in Portsmouth, while Mr. Montague be proclaimed the nominee of the same party in Norfolk county. Then the State Committee would have to determine which is the regular nominee.

MANY NEW CHARTERS.

The Corporation Commission Authorizes Three Concerns.

A corporation with headquarters in this city and with a minimum capitalization of \$15,000, which will engage in the manufacture of wood and metal patterns of every description, and other work, was authorized yesterday by the State Corporation Commission. It is to be known as the Richmond Pattern and Structural Iron Works, Incorporated, and the incorporators are: W. R. Meredith, president; Rouben P. Lipscomb, vice-president; and Frederick Fitzgibbon, secretary and treasurer, all of Richmond.

A company composed of Bonnoke, Va., and West Virginia parties, concerned to contract for and construct railroads, bridges, houses and streets and to do similar work for others, was authorized yesterday by the State Corporation Commission. The following is a memorandum of the charter: The company shall be known as the Bonnoke-Rhodes and Company, Incorporated, principal office, Bonnoke, Va. The incorporators are: John T. Rhodes, president; Thacker, W. Va.; N. T. Bartley, vice-president; Thacker, W. Va.; E. E. Edwards, secretary and treasurer; Bonnoke, Va. Capital stock: Maximum, \$10,000; minimum, \$5,000. Objects and purposes: To buy, sell and deal in shoes, leather goods and other merchandise. The incorporators are wealthy merchants, engaged in the wholesale and retail shoe business in Norfolk.

Another charter granted was the Newport News Ship Company, principal office, Norfolk, Va. Incorporators—H. C. Hofheimer, president; R. W. Coates, secretary and treasurer; Newport News, Va. Capital stock: Maximum, \$10,000; minimum, \$5,000. Objects and purposes: To buy, sell and deal in shoes, leather goods and other merchandise. The incorporators are wealthy merchants, engaged in the wholesale and retail shoe business in Norfolk.

PREPARING FOR THE CASE.

Attorney General at Work on the Pleadings for Brickhouse Suit.

Attorney-General William A. Anderson has been engaged in preparing the pleadings in the case of John E. Brickhouse vs. Jessop and others, judges of election at Hatteras, Va., August 24, 1904. This is one of the cases brought by negroes through Captain John S. Wise and James H. Hayes, attorneys, designed to test the validity of the Virginia Constitution, and it is regarded as the most serious case yet instituted by the opponents of the new organic law.

Brickhouse, a colored preacher, brought a suit for damages against the judges of election at his precinct, claiming damages to the amount of \$5,000. The case is expected to come to trial before the United States Circuit Court at Norfolk during the summer.

Brickhouse was registered and qualified to vote under the old constitution, but was denied the right to vote after the new constitution was promulgated. The case will be heard first on certain legal propositions antecedent to trial of the cause by jury on its merits. It is hoped to overthrow the plaintiffs on these legal points and thus prevent the case going before a jury.

TO HIGHEST COURT.

National Juniors to Take Virginia Dispute to Federal Court.

The clerk of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia yesterday certified to the United States Supreme Court the record in the case of the National Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics vs. the State Council of the same order. This case is familiar to all members of the order. It grows out of the secession of many Virginia members of the order from the national body and the establishment by charter of the State Council. The National Council seeks to restrain the State Council from the use of the name of the order and to secure the seceders into again affiliating with the

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Leave Richmond (Lynch station) EVERY SUNDAY at 8:30 A. M., Petersburg 9:30, arrive Norfolk 11 A. M., connecting at Norfolk with SPECIAL GARE street car. Leaving leave Ocean View 6 P. M., Virginia Beach 6:30, Norfolk 7:15, arriving Richmond 10 P. M.

The only SUNDAY OUTING TRAIN to the SEASHORE without change of cars, giving three hours longer at Virginia Beach and one hour longer with friends in Norfolk than any other Sunday Outing train. Within easy access of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Lynnhaven, Point, Pine Beach and Cape Henry. Ocean View and Virginia Beach tickets good to stop over in Norfolk going and returning.

Quickest and only all-rail route. No change of cars between Richmond, Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

R. T. ADAMS, Manager.

national body. The case was fought through the courts of this State, being decided unfavorably to the State Council.

Yesterday's action means that the dispute is to be carried through the highest legal tribunal in this country. Mr. Charles V. Meredith, of this city, and Hon. Edgar C. Kinkead, of Cincinnati, represent the National Council, while Mr. Samuel A. Anderson and Mr. Frank W. Christian, both of this city, are counsel for the State Council. The result of the protracted legal battle over secession will be awaited with peculiar interest by the "Juniors" as they are known.

WILL BE FAST FIGHT.

Brownies Go On Diamond This Afternoon Against Emporia Team

At 4:45 o'clock this afternoon the champion Brownies, of the Twin-City League, will go on the diamond at Broad Street Park against a fast team from Emporia. The indications are that the game will be witnessed by several thousand baseball enthusiasts.

Emporia will send a crowd of rooters with the nine and things will be lively at the park during the nine innings.

Hulcher, the Southpaw wizard of the champions, will be in the box for the home boys, and he says that he will pitch the game of his life. Hulcher has proven his ability to the other teams in the Twin City League and to players who are not familiar with his style, he is much more effective.

Captain Encho will put the same team in the field.

FELONY CASE GOES OVER.

Important Witness Ill—Father Made to Support Children.

On account of the illness of an important witness for the prosecution, this case against Sam King, the negro charged with a felony, was yesterday postponed in Henrico Circuit Court until the October term.

W. J. Laughan, charged with neglecting to care for his children, was ordered by Judge Scott to give his family \$18 each month. The man at first refused to comply with the order of the court, and was sent to jail. Later he repented, and gave bond for the amount each month. He is now on parole, and his father, who is blind, and "Squire" Angle ordered him to pay \$250 for the blow. The case was heard yesterday.

Officers of Myrtle Lodge.

The following officers were installed at the last regular meeting of Myrtle Lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias, District Grand Chancellor, J. A. Dickinson; W. A. Lightner, chancellor commander; E. H. McPherson, vice-chancellor; Alex. Brown, clerk; C. C. Reeves, master of work; J. B. Killeen, master at arms; John W. Starke, inside guard; G. C. Parker, outside guard; J. L. Creery, keeper of records and seal; J. B. Allen, master of finance, and A. L. Chapin, master of exchequer.

All Pythians are invited to the meeting of the Uniformed Rank Thursday night next.

Colored Doctors Meet Here.

Arrangements for the August convention of the National Medical Society, a colored organization, are now being made by Dr. R. Emmett Jones, physician in charge of the Woman's League and Training School. The body will be in session at Richmond from August 24 to August 26. Excursions will be run to Jonesboro, where Dr. Jones is at the head of the negro settlement. Officers are: President, Dr. John E. Hunter, Lexington, Ky.; Secretary, Dr. John Kenney, Tuskegee, Ala., and Vice-President, Dr. R. E. Jones, of this city.

Car Fare Was Ten Dollars.

Harry Simpson, a negro, refused to move his seat on a street car when ordered to do so by the conductor, and yesterday morning he paid Justice Crutchfield \$10.

The negro boarded the car and took a seat near the front. He was told to move to the rear, but refused, saying that he had a right to ride on any seat.

He was an expensive atter; car fare that he paid.

Claiming Damages.

A subcommittee from the Committee on Streets visited Fourth and Jackson Streets yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of ascertaining whether persons in that neighborhood have any claim to damages on account of the recent overflow of a sewer there. The subcommittee will report to the full committee at the next regular meeting of the latter body.

Wanted for Murder.

Governor Montague has issued a requisition on the Governor of Washington State for Ezekiah Hall, who is wanted in Amelia county for murder.

Pure food laws are good. Burnett's Vanilla is pure food. Take no substitute.—Adv.

WANT QUESTION COME OVER AGAIN

Union Council, Royal Arcanum, Adopts Resolutions to Re-open Rate Matter.

WOULD EXAMINE THE BOOKS

Confidence Expressed in Equity and Correctness of New System.

Union Council, No. 61, Royal Arcanum, of this city, one of the oldest Arcanum organizations in the country, has adopted resolutions calling upon the Supreme Regent to convene a committee of fifteen members for the purpose of considering the whole question of adjustment of rates. The very important and interesting paper adopted by Union Council follows:

Whereas, your delegate after visiting Washington and conferring with Past Supreme Regent, A. S. Robinson, has been informed that it is unnecessary to call grand councils together in order to petition the Supreme Regent, Howard C. Wiggins, to reconsider the Supreme Council in special session; but that the Supreme Regent is authorized to call the Supreme Council in special session at the request of a majority of the members of the Supreme Council, provided that seven or more grand councils be represented in the request; and

Whereas, I am positively informed by Past Supreme Regent, A. S. Robinson, that the new rate of the members of the Supreme Council, just notified and published, is not only equitable and fair, but that they are mathematically and scientifically correct, and represent the best efforts of the Supreme Council to adjust the rates of the order; and

Whereas the promulgation of the new rates has created trouble and dissension in our ranks throughout the country, which we believe is not good for the order, and which we further believe can only be allayed by a full and thorough investigation of another committee of fifteen shall be members of any one grand jurisdiction, and they shall not be those members of the order who are members of the order, and further they shall be men of unquestioned integrity and ability to adjust the rates of the order; and

Resolved (1) That Union Council No. 61, Royal Arcanum, of Richmond, Va., respectfully request the Supreme Regent, Howard C. Wiggins, to call a committee of fifteen members of the order to consider again the whole question of adjustment of rates.

Resolved (2) That the committee of fifteen shall be members of any one grand jurisdiction, and they shall not be those members of the order who are members of the order, and further they shall be men of unquestioned integrity and ability to adjust the rates of the order; and

Resolved (3) That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Supreme Regent, Howard C. Wiggins, and to the other supreme officers of the Royal Arcanum.

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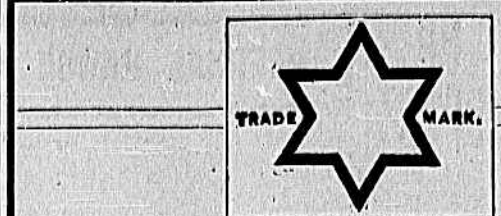
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**The Gans-Rady Company**

Announces a Mid-Season Reduction Sale of Negligee Shirts of the celebrated "Star" make.

Were \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50, reduced to \$1.29 each.

[Sizes 13 1-2 to 19 inches.]

Gans-Rady Company.

will attend the Confederate monument unveiling at Amelia Courthouse on Saturday, where he will be the chief orator. The Governor will speak in Manchester Saturday night and in Culpeper on Monday.

HAMPDEN SIDNEY WANTS PRESIDENT

Is on Lookout for Good Man to Take Charge of Institution.

The prospects for Hampden-Sidney College are much brighter than they have been in the few years past. Although without a president at present, the board of trustees is using every effort to secure a man fitted for the institution. J. H. C. Bagby, M. A., Ph. D., is temporarily at the head of the college, while the matter of a president is under way, and he will probably remain as until someone has been secured. More applications for catalogues are coming in, and more parents are considering the college than for some time past, and it is expected that about a hundred students will be enrolled during the coming session.

UNPAID LICENSES.

Business Men Must Settle To-day to Avoid Trouble.

The Commissioner of the Revenue and the city treasurer were busy yesterday making up the list of merchants and business men who have not paid their license taxes as required by law for the year 1905. This list will be presented to the Commonwealth's Attorney today, and those who have not paid may save (trouble by calling at the City Hall early today, so that their names may escape the delinquent list.

Those who do not pay before the 1st goes in will be subject to the fines provided by law for the delay.

Will Repair Rosemary.

The Rosemary Public Library will be closed for repairs during the months of August and September. No books will be sent out after the 15th day of July, and all persons holding books will please return them by that time.

The reading-room will remain open until the 1st day of August. Members of the library will be permitted to use the library with other facilities for the accommodation of its members and the public.

(Signed) MRS. GEO. W. BAGBY, President Rosemary Public Library.

Railway Man Honored.

Mr. W. E. Hazlewood, who will on next Monday assume the duties of traveling passenger agent at Indianapolis of the Norfolk and Western Railway, giving up the agency of that company at Norfolk to do so, was tendered a complimentary banquet at the Ocean View Hotel on Monday night by the agents of the steamship and railway lines entering Norfolk. Mr. John E. Wagner of this city, will succeed Mr. Hazlewood at Norfolk.

Gets Two Years.

William Hayden was given two years in the penitentiary yesterday by a jury of the Hustings Court for assaulting Officer Kellam.

COURT DAYS.

Schedule of Dates on Which People Gather in Counties

Following is a condensed schedule of the Circuit Court days in the various counties of the State between now and August 22d, the date of the Democratic State primary, and the opportunities of the candidates for office to address the voters of the several counties:

July Schedule: Third Monday—Counties of Southampton, Gloucester, Culpeper, Elizabeth City, Lancaster, Mathews, Hanover, Fairfax, Rockingham, Dickenson and Floyd.

August Schedule: First Monday—Counties of Albemarle, Madison, Spotsylvania, Prince William, Frederick and Wise.

Second Monday—Counties of Pittsylvania, Rappahannock, Northumberland, James City, Carolina, Rockbridge and Wythe.

Third Monday (day before the primary)—Counties of Dinwiddie, Mecklenburg, Amherst, Greene, Essex, Loudoun, Page and Smyth.

Dates other than Mondays—King William and York, first Tuesday in August; Nottoway, first Thursday in August; King and Queen, second Tuesday in August; Amelia, second Thursday in August; New Kent and Bath, Thursday, July 20th; Buchanan, July 25th, and Floyd, July 16th, which is Sunday.

It is a curious fact that the court day fixed for Floyd county, July 16th, falls on Sunday this year. Court will probably be held Monday.

LEGISLATIVE HONORS.

Two Former Danville Men Are Aspiring in Norfolk City.

The city of Norfolk seems to be a fine spot for young men from other points in the State, and especially for those entering the professions. One of these candidates for the State Senate and House of Delegates at Norfolk two of them are former residents of Danville.

A former member of the general assembly, Mr. George W. Cabell, was also a resident of Danville. Mr. Nathan, of the firm of Green and Withers, of Danville and Norfolk, has announced his candidacy for the State Senate against Colonel W. W. Sale. Mr. Green is a son of the late Judge Berryman Green, member of the Constitution of 1850, and long prominent in public and professional life. The other Danvillian aspiring to the House of Delegates is Mr. Daniel Coleman, Jr., one of the most successful of the younger members of the Norfolk bar.

Colonel W. W. Sale is a candidate for re-nomination for the Senate, and his friends are confident that he will be re-nominated. One of his opponents withdrew from the race after the recent municipal primary.

ELECT OFFICERS TO-NIGHT

Fire Commissioners to Take Up Unfinished Business.

The Board of Fire Commissioners will meet to-night to transact business left over from Monday night, and to elect officers. The incumbents will all be re-elected.

There will be a called meeting of the Grounds and Buildings Committee to-night and the Water Committee will meet in regular session to-morrow night.

In the Southwest. Governor Montague is still in Southwest Virginia in the interest of his candidacy for United States senator. He will speak in Bristol to-night and returning here.

SURPRISES IN OUTING CONTEST

Some Now Low in Scale Will "Bob Up" Serenely at End.

THE CONSOLATION PRIZE

All Failing to Win Other Trips Have Chance Here if They Try.

Only one more statement of the standing of the contestants in the Times-Dispatch Summer Outing Tour's Contest will be published before the final count is made.

A statement will be printed next Sunday, and then no more announcements will be made until Sunday, July 23d, when the grand total of votes will be given and the fourteen first prize parties published.

Surprise in Store.

The contest has been one of great interest to thousands of Times-Dispatch readers all over the State. From the first announcement on June 1st, each day has shown added interest, until now the contest has gained a force and intensity of competition that makes it quite impossible to forecast just how it will end for the contestants.

Large numbers of votes in the form of voting certificates are being held back by some of the parties, who have comparatively few votes to their credit in the statements of votes deposited that have been printed.

There are certainly some great surprises in store at the finish. Some of the parties with the small figures opposite their names are liable to "bob up serenely" and make it extremely interesting for some of the present leaders.

Special Notice.

Hereafter all coupons and voting certificates must be deposited at the Times-Dispatch Business office, 916 East Main Street, the branch ballot stations being discontinued from now to the close of the contest.

Consolation Prize.

It is not too late to enter the contest for the consolation prize, or any other prize trips, for that matter.

It must be kept in mind that there are

ANNOUNCEMENT!

As a result of the favor the Simple System of Billing and Charging and the Jones Improved Loose Leaf Ledgers have met and the consequent demand for them, we have made a separate business of these branches to be known as the SIMPLE SYSTEM COMPANY, No. 114 East Main Street, and have secured Mr. C. C. Walton, Jr., as Manager, for a number of years with the Jones Perpetual Ledger Company, whose entire time will be devoted to devising suitable office and factory systems and advising in their proper installation.